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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yuzura FUKUDA

Application No.: 09/604,002

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RECORDING IMAGES

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Examiner: L. Tran

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES  
AND REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the **FINAL** decision of the Examiner dated November 18, 2002, rejecting claims 1-2.

**1. Extension of Time**

**[X]** Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 410.00	\$205.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$ 1,450.00	\$725.00

☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

2. **Notice of Appeal Fee - 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b)**

☒ **\$320.00** to cover the appeal fee is enclosed.

3. **Fee Totals:**

☒ The Fee of **\$1,250.00** (for the Notice of Appeal Fee of **\$320.00** Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) and the Extension of time Fee of **\$930.00** Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) is being charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

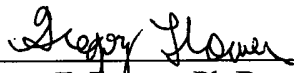
4. **Constructive Petition**

☒ Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. §1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire copendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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